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| In re Application of: |) | |
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| Geoffrey Lee, et al. |) | Group Art Unit: 1612 |
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| For: DERMAL APPLICATION SYSTEM FOR |) | |
| AMINOLEVULNIC ACID-DERIVATIVES |) | |
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office Action mailed on January 21, 2009, please amend the application as follows. This Response accompanies a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR § 1.114. A Notice of Appeal was timely filed on May 21, 2009, so a Request for a five-month extension of time is included herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this Amendment.